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21 January 1958

INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in  
IAC Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, at 1045, 21 January 1958

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Hugh S. Cumming, Jr., Director of Intelligence and Research,  
Department of State  
Major General Robert A. Schow, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,  
Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral Laurence H. Frost, Director of Naval Intelligence,  
Department of the Navy  
Major General Millard Lewis, Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence,  
United States Air Force  
Brigadier General Richard Collins, Deputy Director for Intelligence,  
The Joint Staff  
Mr. Charles H. Reichardt, acting for Atomic Energy Commission  
representative to the IAC  
Mr. Ralph R. Roach, acting for Federal Bureau of Investigation  
representative to the IAC

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1. Approval of Minutes  
14 January Meeting  
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Approved as written.

2. Situation Review

a. Watch Committee Report  
No. 389

Noted.

b. Review of Sensitive Situations

Mr. Cumming referred briefly to the Indonesian situation, especially with respect to prohibitions on the use of radio communications by the Dutch.

Mr. Cumming noted the sensitivity of the Venezuelan situation and discussed with the members various pertinent matters such as the probable longevity of the present government and the possible form of any new government.

The Chairman commented on the course of developments in Yemen, particularly the possibility of Yemen's gradual drift toward the USSR, and Mr. Cumming expressed some concern about the apparent British attitude regarding this situation.

3. Review of NSCIDs

25X1 a. In opening the discussion on this item,  recommended that: (1) the IAC approve and forward to the NSC the revised consolidated drafts of the various NSCIDs (except the revised NSCID No. 7, which will replace the former NSCID No. 9), together with a statement indicating the non-concurring views of any member of the IAC with respect to any provision; (2) the IAC stipulate that the current implementing methods and procedures will remain in effect until revised implementing procedures, consonant with any new NSC-approved NSCIDs, can be formally

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agreed upon and issued as DCIDs. Meanwhile, appropriate IAC subcommittees and other appropriate responsible officers should be asked to undertake a review and suitable revision of applicable DCIDs, with a view to submission of draft DCIDs for IAC approval within the three-month period following NSC approval of the NSCIDs. The Chairman noted that certain problems might arise with respect to the NSCIDs if the proposed IAC-USCIB merger were carried out, ~~but otherwise there were no objections to this procedure and the members then discussed the various NSCIDs individually.~~ *The IAC approved this procedure. \**

b. Approved the draft revised NSCID No. 1 (Basic Duties and Responsibilities), as amended.

c. Approved the draft revised NSCID No. 2 (Coordination of Collection Activities). The members also noted the draft DCID No. 2/2.1 (Domestic Exploitation of Nongovernmental Organizations and Individuals), as amended, with the understanding that it would be incorporated into a revised DCID to be finally approved following NSC approval of the revised NSCID No. 2.

d. Approved the draft revised NSCID No. 3 (Coordination of Intelligence Production), as amended, ~~except that the representative of the Joint Staff, supported by the other military representatives, dissented as to the last sentence in paragraph 4 on page 4.~~

e. Approved the draft revised NSCID No. 5 (U.S. Espionage and Counterintelligence Activities Abroad), as amended. In this connection, the members concurred in Mr. Cumming's suggestion that no portion of this directive should be construed as precluding the Department of State from conducting its own physical security measures within State Department installations abroad.

f. Approved the draft revised NSCID No. 6 (Electronic Intelligence (ELINT)).

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4. Report of Ad Hoc Committee on  
Soviet Weapons Requirements  
(Memorandum to IAC, 15 January)

The members discussed with [ ] various considerations bearing on this proposed study. In view of questions raised by certain members, particularly General Lewis, General Collins and Admiral Frost, it was agreed to defer action on this matter until a later IAC meeting.

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5. Remaining Agenda Items

The members agreed to postpone consideration of the balance of the agenda items until the next regular IAC meeting.

Adjournment: 1330

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ALSO PRESENT

Central Intelligence Agency

Lieutenant General Charles P. Cabell  
Mr. Robert Amory, Jr.

Mr. Sherman Kent

Dr. Otto E. Guthe  
Dr. Herbert Scoville, Jr.

Mr. George Carey

Department of State

Mr. Robert Joyce  
Mr. Richard Lamb  
Mr. Howard Wiedemann

Department of the Army

Colonel Ralph L. Dalton  
Lieutenant Colonel Charles H. Pratt  
Major William Peak  
Major P. H. Dunbar

Department of the Navy

Captain W. S. Howell  
Commander C. A. Shaw  
Mr. A. Bodian

Department of the Air Force

Brigadier General John E. Murray  
Brigadier General Robert A. Breitweiser  
Lieutenant Colonel Paul A. Tisdale  
Lieutenant Colonel Norman N. Perlberg  
Lieutenant Colonel Van A. Woods, Jr.  
Mr. George H. Fiske

The Joint Staff

Colonel J. M. Pittman, USA  
Captain W. R. Wilson, USN  
Captain S. H. Gimber, USN

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Mr. Meffert W. Kuhrtz

Office of the Secretary of Defense

General G. B. Erskine  
Mr. William A. Smith